GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Research Project
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D) has suggested changing the pattern of assigning fellowships and research projects on subjects related to policing and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the BPR&D wants to limit itself to give funds and topics of research to the universities and other prominent institutes including IITs and the IIMs and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the BPR&D has also suggested for constituting a committee comprising of Union Home Secretary, DG of BPR&D and DG of Police by rotation for awarding research grants for big projects; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. A proposal for revamping the fellowships in Criminology and Police Science on the pattern of University Grants Commission fellowship has been received from Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D) and the same is under examination.
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BPR&D has proposed for involving reputed institutions also such as Central Universities, IITs, IIMs etc. for such programmes.

(c): Yes, Madam. The proposal is under examination.

(d): Does not arise.

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